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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): Yannick PEYSSON et al
Serial No.: 09/985,730
Filed: November 6, 2001
For: METHOD OF DETERMINING THE THERMAL PROFILE OF A
DRILLING FLUID IN A WELL
Art Unit: 2856
Examiner: R. Raevis

NOTICE OF APPEAL

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

March 29, 2004

Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Appeals from the Decision dated
October 28, 2003, the Primary Examiner finally rejecting claims 11-46.

The items checked below are appropriate:

- ☒ A timely response to the final rejection has been filed.
☒ Fee of \$330.00 ☒ is enclosed ☐ not required (fee paid in prior
appeal).

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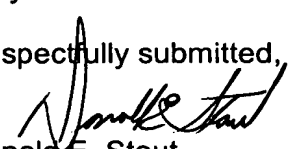
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